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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

Return to: Secretary of State, 500 E. Capitol, Pierre, SD 57501-5077

1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER		2. DATE	
<i>Farm Forum</i>		<i>10/6/08</i>	
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$	
<i>Fridays, 3 Tuesdays</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>Non display circulation 136 registered circulation</i>	
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers)			
<i>124 S 2nd St P.O. Box 4430 Aberdeen, SD 57401-4430</i>			
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers)			
<i>same</i>			
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: <i>Aberdeen News Company</i>			
7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.)			
FULL NAME		COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS	
<i>Schwarz Communications, Inc.</i>		<i>335 W College Ave. South Bend, IN 46614</i>	
8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.)			
<i>None</i>			
9. EXTENT AND NATURE OF CIRCULATION		AVERAGE NO. COPIES EACH ISSUED PRECEDING 12 MONTHS	ACTUAL NO. COPIES ISSUED NEAREST TO FILING DATE
A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)		<i>37,266</i>	<i>37,350</i>
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION			
1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.		<i>8,254</i>	<i>9,271</i>
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)		<i>22,955</i>	<i>22,283</i>
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)		<i>31,214</i>	<i>31,554</i>
D. FREE DISTRIBUTION			
1. BY MAIL, CARRIER OR OTHER MEANS		<i>5,785</i>	<i>5,571</i>
2. SAMPLES, COMPLIMENTARY AND OTHER FREE COPIES		<i>-0-</i>	<i>-0-</i>
E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)		<i>36,999</i>	<i>37,125</i>
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED			
1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing		<i>267</i>	<i>225</i>
2. Return from News Agents		<i>-0-</i>	<i>-0-</i>
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 - Should equal net press run shown in A)		<i>37,266</i>	<i>37,350</i>

Statement must be signed by Publisher, Business Manager, or Owner in the presence of a Notary Public
 I swear that the statements made by me are true, correct, and complete:

John J. Brown
 (Signature)

State of South Dakota)
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 County of *Brown*)
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 (Seal)

President & Publisher
 (Title)

Sworn to before me this *20* day of *October*, 2008
John J. Brown
 Notary Public

My commission expires: *8/7/2011*